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COMPOSITES OF POLYMERS AND CERAMICS  
OR GLASSES AND METHOD TO  
MANUFACTURE SUCH COMPOSITES

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1. In accordance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56 and in conformance with the procedures of 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97 and 1.98 and M.P.E.P. § 609, attorneys for Applicants hereby bring the attached references to the attention of the Examiner. These references are listed on the attached modified PTO Form No. 1449. It is respectfully requested that the information be expressly considered during the prosecution of this application, and that the references be made of record therein and appear among the "References Cited" on any patent to issue therefrom.
2. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the 37 C.F.R. §1.17(p) (submission of an information disclosure statement under §1.97(c)) fee of **\$240.00** and any additional fees that may be required to the deposit account of **Kenyon & Kenyon**, deposit account number **11-0600**. A duplicate copy of this communication is enclosed for charging purposes.
3. A copy of each patent, publication or other information listed on the modified PTO form 1449 is enclosed.

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